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1. As a result of pressure exerted by Metalimport Trust of Zurich and Paris, the China-Export Corporation GmbH of Berlin agreed on 6 August 1951 to settle within 24 hours an outstanding debt of \$150,000 due Metalimport Trust with respect to a consignment of steel sheets which had been delivered to the Berlin firm.
2. On 7 August 1951 the firm of Frigalimont Import GmbH of St. Margrethen, Switzerland, asked Metalimport Trust, with which it had had no previous dealings, the name of its bank, as it wished to pay over the sum of \$150,000. When asked on whose instructions he was acting, the Frigalimont official at first hedged, but finally mentioned the name of Ernst Banlow, the financial director of the China-Export Corporation.

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